

TWO GOOD SHOWS.

"SHANTY TOWN" TONIGHT.
It is seldom that quartets in farce comedies can do more than sing and find one that is versatile is a difficult task, as they are scarce. The Brilliant Quartet with "Shanty Town" are not only beautiful singers, but are good actors and expert dancers. "Shanty Town" with its carload of special scenery and an exceptionally strong cast, will be seen at the Powers Grand next Wednesday, October 26.

"A GUILTY MOTHER."

Here from a story, a plot that is new and daring, a carload of special scenery and a company of over 20 well known players, go to make up the production of "A Guilty Mother," which will be the attraction at the Powers Grand on next Thursday, October 27. The play is strongly emotional, abounds in interesting situations and climaxes. Through the whole piece is a vein of bright, clear comedy, which comes to the surface in the proper caring and repentant mother. The fact that the story is new, no doubt accounts for the great success of the play last season. It has the record of having been seen by more ladies than any other play.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.

Improvements Being Made—Contract Let for Steam Heating Plant.

The work of repairing St. Patrick's Catholic church will probably be finished within the next month. Downing and Wells have secured the contract for putting in the new steam heating plant. They will begin work at once and expect to finish in several weeks. The house north of the church which was formerly used as the residence of the priest, has been remodeled so that it is now a part of the church. The seating capacity of the auditorium has thereby been increased several hundred. When the improvements are completed St. Patrick's church will be one of the best appointed and most complete houses of worship in the city.

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.

Among the Republican meetings which will be held in the next two weeks are the following:

At Ocean Wave School, October 31. Speakers—Attorney Alexander McIntosh and John Moffett.

At Dalton City, November 5. Speakers—Attorney J. M. Clokey and Attorney James O'Mara.

Patricolo Grand Concert.

At the tabernacle November 1, opening number of the People's Entertainment Course. Plat at Frank Curtis' jewelry store Saturday morning. There will be a rush for seats, as Patricolo is a great attraction. It is supported by three bright stars in the persons of Miss Shoemaker, delsartean; Miss George, violinist, and Miss Lindbergh, soprano. Hundreds of tickets have already been sold and the drama sets will continue to reap a golden harvest of patronage up till the last minute. The tabernacle course is to be a huge success.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, *vs.* Lucas County.

FRANK J. CHENY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENY & CO., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Cataract that cannot be cured by the use of HALT Cataract Cure.

FRANK J. CHENY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, 1893.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Haily's Cataract Cure is taken internally and directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Seed for testimonies free.

F. J. CHENY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, etc.

Haily's Penny Pills are the best.

Probably the tide has something to do with the number of knots made by a vessel.

MATTHEWS GIVEAWAY.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases of Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on J. E. King and C. P. Shilling, druggists, and get a trial bottle for 10c. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

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Die. of kidney disease have been many. Cure. Many L. W. Bell, N. L.

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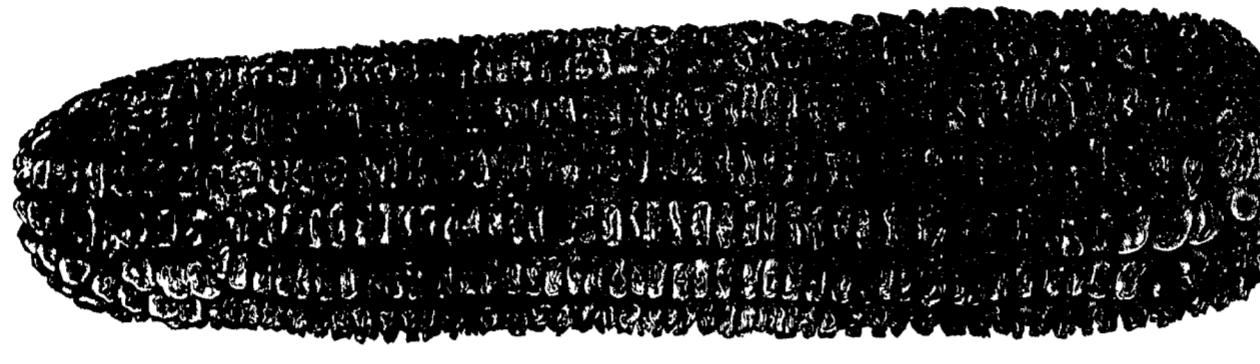
TWENTY-SEVENTH YEAR

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1893.

NUMBER 179

LIVELY CARNIVAL DAYS IN DECATUR

Second Day of the Fall Corn Festival—Wabash Officials and a Big Crowd at the Palace.



The second day of the big Corn Carnival left nothing to be desired in the way of weather, enthusiasm and crowds. The Wabash sent thousands of their employees in on every occasion this morning and this afternoon trains brought hundreds to participate in the festivities.

The Springfield shops were closed and the employees given a holiday and furnished with free transportation to Decatur and return. The trains from Springfield this forenoon brought over 300 Wabash employees not to mention the other visitors. Danville sent large delegations on every train and the shops and car department of Decatur were closed during the entire day, giving at least 3000 people, counting the Wabash employees and their families, a holiday.

Wabash Officials at the Palace.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon the special train consisting of a baggage car, observation car, dining car, sleeper and day car carrying the general officials of the Wabash on their annual inspection tour of the road, pulled into the Decatur station from Indianapolis and was met by a delegation consisting of Mayor Taylor, Secretary B. Bradley, Treasurer H. L. Baldwin and F. S. Tyler, vice president of the Corn Carnival, who drove them uptown in carriages for an inspection of the city and the corn palace.

The delegation was headed by Goodman's band. At the carnival palace the guests were bidden welcome by Mayor Taylor in behalf of the corn carnival board. They expressed themselves as greatly pleased with their short visit and congratulated the citizens of Decatur and Mayor Taylor on the success of the carnival.

Superintendent Garrett was a member of the party, which included General Manager Ramsey and General Superintendent Magee of St. Louis, Division Superintendent Gould of Peru, Ind., Division Superintendent Goodrich of Moberly, Mo., J. Bruce, superintendent of terminal at Chicago, J. B. Barnes, superintendent of power and machinery department, Springfield; E. Sheldah, roadmaster, Decatur; A. B. Adams, general roadmaster, Peru, Ind.; A. S. Haines, general superintendent western division, Moberly, Mo.; Mr. Stramner, superintendent bridges and buildings department, western division, Moberly, Mo.; W. S. Barnes, superintendent of eastern division, Peru, Ind.

The party spent about 45 minutes in the city and left for the eastern division inspection. They will go from Decatur to Montpelier, Ohio, and from there over the main line.

NOTES ON THE CARNIVAL.

Plenty of Amusement Was Created—Results of the Contests Wednesday.

The only contest that took place this forenoon was the popcorn eating match at stage No. 5, at the corner of North Main and Prairie streets. There were nine contestants and each was required to eat a ball of popcorn. The winner of the prize, \$2, was Harry Horton, and the second prize, \$1, was won by Louis Cash.

The second corn race held Wednesday afternoon resulted the same as the one in the forenoon. Blinkey Morgan was first and W. Davis second.

There was a corn eating match Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at stage No. 1. Willie Wallace won first prize and Will McCleary second.

The crowd on the streets Wednesday night was one of the biggest that has been out at night for a long time.

The business men who have been too busily engaged at their stores during the day turned out with their clerks to get a look at the carnival building and see the sights.

NOTHING Seen and Heard During the Day at the Big Corn Building.

An intelligent looking man was examining the prehistoric corn at the carnival building last night. The gentleman in charge explained that the way we came to have prehistoric corn was that it was found in a tomb where it had been 1 ft for 3000 years.

"Well," remarked the intelligent looking man, "this corn seems to be in a wonderful state of preservation to have been kept 3000 years," and he was in dead earnest.

There is one branch of the carnival which has not been doing a lot of business and that is the check room.

The weather was a little too cold for people to check their coats. They rather wished that they had brought more heavy clothing with them than to dispense with what they had on.

Last evening one of the ladies in charge of the coat room sat by a coal oil stove trying to keep warm and had not taken in a cent all day.

The woman who sells a top that spins on a string is at the carnival.

Those same tops have been sold at every fair for the past generation but the woman seems to be doing enough business to induce her to stay.

There is also in the tent an eye doctor who gives treatment to quite a number.

The mischievous small boys manage

to make themselves objectionable.

They shell the corn off the ear on exhibition in the building and throw it at the people. It keeps the special police busy watching them.

ADVERTISING BOOTH.

Interesting Exhibits of Manufacturers Seen at the Carnival.

Among the interesting features of the corn carnival are the exhibits of the millers and manufacturers of machinery and other products pertaining to the corn industry. They are arranged in the outer tent which

involves the street in front of the building.

Each exhibitor has one of the booths which are arranged down the center of the tent.

An Attractive Carriage.

Special mention should be made of the carriage of the ladies of the Wabash's Corn Carnival board, which at

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MERCHANTS ALARMED

Cuban Tradesmen See Great Loss in Removal of Spanish Soldiers.

HAVANA, October 26, via Key West, Fla., October 27.—Merchants in all parts of the island are beginning to realize that the withdrawal of the Spanish troops means a great loss of trade and paralysis for many industries. For more than three years Cuba has had within her borders never less than 150,000 soldiers, whose food and clothing has been purchased here. This meant much to supply houses in all parts of the island, many of which are already making arrangements to go out of business.

Since October 1 orders have gone from Havana to Boston for \$1,500,000 worth of sugar grinding machinery.

A large transfer of property in Obispo street, just below Isabella square, is shrouded with mystery, but it is reported that the purchase is for a New York department store. It is impossible to confirm this here.

SURE CURE FOR HOG CHOLERA

What Dr. Salmon, of the Animal Bureau, Has Accomplished.

WASHINGTON, October 27.—Dr. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry, says that experiments of the bureau have demonstrated that hog cholera can be effectively and cheaply combated. The bureau during the past two years has proved that by the use of serum, 80 per cent of hogs affected were cured, while 80 per cent of those not so treated died. He says that millions of dollars can be saved to the farmers annually by use of serum. This serum is procured by injecting into the blood of a horse or cow a small amount of blood of a cholera infected hog, and repeating the dose till the animal is rendered immune. Then its blood is drawn and allowed to become clotted. It is drawn off leaving a yellowish portion, which is the serum. This is injected into the hog, rendering it immune to cholera or curing it if already diseased.

COL. BRYAN IS SICK

Commander of the Nebraska Too Ill Too See His Officers.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 27—Col. Wm. Jennings Bryan continues to be quite ill of fever. His regiment has been here two days, but he has not been able to see any of his officers in order to discuss its affairs.

THE DREYFUS CASE.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—The Court of Cassation to decide the question of reopening the Dreyfus case, met today. There was no demonstration around the palace of justice, the gates being closed as a matter of precaution, and the police and military keeping the crowds from assembling in large numbers in the neighborhood.

PEACE JUBILEE PARADE DAY

PALADELPHIA, Oct. 27.—The great Military Peace Jubilee parade opened with bright weather. Between twenty-five and thirty thousand soldiers took part in the pageant. The President and Vice-President, the U. S. Cabinet and distinguished officers of the army and navy and hundreds of thousands of residents of the city and other localities, honored the occasion with their presence. The soldiers were enthusiastically cheered over the route.

NEWS OFF THE WIRE.

George Taylor, wanted for the murder of the Meel's family at Brookfield, Mo., May 11, 1891, was recently heard of on a ranch near Galveston, Texas. He has fled. Four years ago Taylor escaped from the jail at Carrollton, Mo.

France has agreed to withdraw her troops from Tunis a

England has won out.

The people at M'Clure, Ohio, are excited over the discovery of

gold in the hills, running from \$14 to \$69 per ton of rock.

FALSE RUMOR.

PARIS, Oct. 27.—The rumor circulated in London that President Faure has been assassinated is false.

Flannels and Blankets...

50 pieces heavy Tennis Flannel, beautiful style, yard.....	5c
100 pieces White Shaker Flannel, regular price 7c, yard.....	4c
75 pieces Unbleached Canton Flannel—yard.....	3c
100 pairs 10 4 White Cotton Blankets, pair	35c
50 pairs 11-4 Half Wool white Blankets, pair.....	\$1.50
50 pairs 10 4 All Wool shrank Blankets, pair.....	\$3.50
200 pairs 10 4 grey Cotton Blankets, pair..	35c
75 pairs 10-4 Grey Cotton Blankets, pair..	75c
150 pairs 10 4 grey All Wool shrank Blankets, pair.....	\$2.50
75 pairs 10 4 grey all wool shrank Blankets, extra heavy, pair,	\$3.50
Largest and most complete line of Comforters in the city at front	75c each up.

MEN'S OVERCOATS.

The styles--the make--the perfection of best makers of Ready to Wear Clothes.

Men's Stylish Box Overcoats, In the new shades of Tan, Black and Blue, all sizes, 34 to 46.

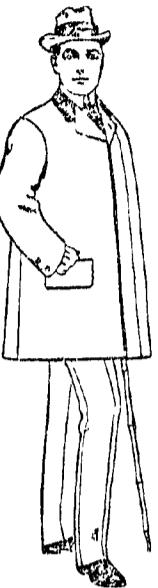
• At \$12.50 and \$10.00

Finer ones up to \$35.00.

Men's Fine Suits

Men's Double Breasted Blue Serge, Satin Faced, in the narrow and wide. Wale serges are the prevailing styles for this season. Our suits are finely tailored and fit perfectly and will hold their shape.

Suits at \$18, \$15 and \$12.50



Boys' Department.

Most Complete stock of Boys' Attire.

We show the Military effects and Sigsbee Suits for 3 years and up.

BOYS' REEFERS, BOYS' SHORT TOP OVERCOATS—all that's new for boys can be found in this department.

Men's Fine Furnishings.

Men's Underwear medium and heavy weight. Men's New Fall Fancy Colored Shirts. New Stylish Neckwear. MILIN'S HAT DEPT.—New Fall Blocks in Soft and Derby Shapes. Agents for KNOX HATS.

OTTENHEIMER & CO.,

The Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,
Masonic Temple Block.

ASK FOR
MUELLER, YOUNG & WHEELAND'S
DECATUR CLUB,
HIGHEST GRADE 10c CIGAR.
SOLD BY ALL FIRST-CLASS DEALERS.

Store News for Buyers...

Are you in need of Men's, Ladies or Children's Underwear, Skirts, Corsets, Hosiery, Winter Shirt Waists, Umbrellas, Shirts, Neckwear and Millinery? If so look over these prices on First Class goods. I do not handle shoddy goods.

Special.

Ladies' Oneita Union Suits 49c
Child's Union Suits..... 49c
Boys' Union Suits..... 49c
Wool Skirts..... 63c
Dusting Flannel Gowns.... 95c
Heavy Wool Socks..... 25c

Special.

Men's Fleeced Shirts..... 49c
Men's Fleeced Drawers.... 49c
Boys' Fleeced Shirts..... 25c
Boys' Fleeced Drawers.... 25c
Heavy Wool Socks..... 25c

One More: 33 dozen Men's Ribbed Fleeced Shirts or Drawers—Well worth 50c— 39c

While they last we'll sell them at.....

Corset Sale! Don't you need a new corset? If so, why not go to Anthony's and get a proper shaped Corset? Special sale odds and broken 49c sizes, 100 for, each.....

Shirt Waists! Fall styles in Shirt Waists are now being shown at Anthony's \$1.00 store. All wool, only.....

School Hosiery! Don't forget our School Hose. I offer best values in Hosiery in the

city in Ladies', Child- 10c 15c 20c 25c 35c
ren's and Men's Hosiery

HAVE YOU TRIED CHASE & SANBORN'S COFFEES?

Sold Only at
"The Economy,"
221 North Water Street.

THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, October 27.—Illinois: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, possibly showers by Friday morning; warmer tonight, southerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Davis—Cabs 25c, Trunks 15c. Arnold's Bromo-Seltzer cure headache, 10, 25, 50 cts. Bell, the druggist, Mrs. Pratt's cereal bread, from the Decatur Bakery. You'll like it.

Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on any goods. Collateral, best rates, much 22 if

Smoke the Little J. Guaranteed to contain no artificial flavor.—1-dwt

The boy with made over trousers takes after his father.

There was a lively time at the Grand last night when "Shanty Town" was the play. It was a knock-about performance just suited for the carnival week crowd.

Cure-crop, sore throat, pulmonary troubles, monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Sold by all druggists.

Do you want plastering done? If so telephone 528, new 'phone, Decatur Third. Plaster Co. Perry & Orrell—515

You pay a little more for the clothes that Denz makes but—

A cheap coat doesn't necessarily make a cheap man, but it makes him feel that way at times.

—Miss Julia Sudduth of Newton, Iowa, is the new operator at the Postal Telegraph company's office.

No one would ever be bothered with constipation if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels. Sold by all druggists.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Cumberland Presbyterian church will meet in the parlors of the church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The Daniel Good farms of 72½ and 80 acres each, situated near Oregon and Argenta, will be sold at the courthouse on Saturday, October 29, at 2 o'clock. They are excellent lands with good improvements and well-tiled. Theodore Coleman, Executor.—27-dwt

For Sale.—A new sewing machine at one-fourth the regular price. Apply to O. Ewing, corner of West Main and Pine street.—89-dwt

If the school children will call at the office of the Mutual Life Insurance company on the second floor of the Millikin building they will be supplied with note books and blotting pads.

Our little boy was afflicted with rheumatism in his knee, and at times unable to put his foot to the floor. We tried in vain, everything that we could hear of that we thought would help him. We almost gave up in despair, when some one advised us to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. We did so, and the first bottle gave much relief that we got a second one, and, to our surprise, it cured him sound and well.—J. T. Buys, Pastor Christian church, Neodesha, Kansas. For sale by J. King and C. F. Shilling.

William Morris, day elevator man at the Millikin building, reports over 3000 passengers carried yesterday.

Old fashions in dress may be revived but no old-fashioned medicine can replace Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

The group picture of the Corn Carnival notables which was printed in the Daily Republican last evening, first

appeared in the Chicago Tribune last Monday, together with a half column writing of the carnival. The matrix of the cut was kindly sent the Republican for use. The St. Louis Globe-Democrat had a column writing of the carnival in its Sunday edition.

Joseph E. Wiggins and Miss Jennie Warner of Mahomet were married October 19.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kennedy and daughter of Lincoln, are the guests of Mrs. M. E. Kennedy.

—F. O. Spooner and wife of New Haven are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Underwood.

Madame Calwell

has recently arrived in our city from England. She can tell your future to perfection and show you the likelihood of your future partner.

She also tells what you're best adapted for and in what part of the world to reside. Call and be convinced, at

125 SOUTH CHURCH ST.

Oct. 27-dim.

PARIS EXCITED.

A Political Carnival Mix-Up Every Day in That City.

PARIS, October 27.—Premier Brisson's proclamation in the chamber of deputies of the superiority of the civil over the military power is thought likely to bring on the coup d'état projected by a conspiracy of generals, the discovery of which was made last week. The new ministry is almost certain to be progressist republican with Barthou as premier and Delambre in the cabinet. The fall of the radical ministry is taken by popular journals not only as a victory over the Dreyfusards, but a triumphant reply to the supposed foreign hostility caused by the Dreyfus affair, Fushida and the recent war. Patrie says "France is erect, watchful and impervious against those who tried to outrage her genius, hope and honor."

The English colony is particularly alarmed and several families are on the point of departure.

The tumult has subsided in Paris. Troops are less in evidence, but the crisis is none the less acute. The boulevards are thronged with excited politicians, who are carefully watched by the police.

Great apprehension is felt as to events when the Dreyfus revision begins with the reading of the board's report, which, it is expected, will take the whole day.

GREAT BATTLE OF SANTIAGO

To Take Place at the Race Track

Friday and Saturday Nights—250

People—Grand Fireworks

Display.

PROGRAM.

American Fleet.

1. Flagship Brooklyn.

2. Oregon.

3. Texas.

4. New York.

5. Iowa.

Spanish Fleet.

1. Christopher Colon.

2. Maria Teresa.

3. Almirante Oquendo.

4. Viscaya.

5. Pluton.

All ships advance in order named.

The Battle.

1. Signal shots fired from Brooklyn.

2. Illumination of Flags and Forts with beautiful Bengal Lights showing Spanish Fleet in Santiago Harbor; American Fleet ready for action.

3. Christopher Colon leaving Santiago Harbor.

4. Signaling on Brooklyn.

5. American Fleet in Action.

6. Oregon leaving Harbor, firing first shot.

7. Brooklyn and Oregon begin firing.

8. Firing from Fort.

9. Roar and thunder of the battle; both fleets firing.

10. Teresa on fire.

11. Viscaya on fire.

12. Burning, Explosion and Sinking of the Teresa.

13. Explosion and Sinking of the Viscaya.

14. Pluton on fire.

15. Explosion and Sinking of the Oquendo.

16. Explosion of Pluton.

17. Burning of the Colon, raising flag of truce and surrender of Oquendo.

18. American fleet attacks Spanish Forts.

19. Fall of Central Tower.

20. Blowing away of section near third tower.

21. Fall of first tower.

22. Demolishing of the first section.

23. Raising flag of truce on forts.

24. Rockets, Bombs.

25. Raising of Old Glory on Spanish Battlements.

26. Tableaux: Liberty and Cuba.

REPORT ON JAIL.

The grand jury reported to Judge Vail that a visit has been made to the county jail and that everything was in good condition and there were no complaints from the prisoners. It was recommended that as far as possible the youthful and minor offenders be separated from the older and more vicious prisoners. Judge Vail instructed the clerk to send a copy of the report to the clerk of the county court.

The grand jury asked that in the case of Timothy Lyons, aged 13 years, who was confined in the county jail on a charge of petit larceny, clemency be granted. Judge Vail said that Lyons would be tried until he could not be convicted.

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MUNGER ART GEMS.

Art Institute of Chicago Falls Heir to \$300,000 Worth of Paintings.

Rare Pictures Thus Added to an Already Valuable Collection—List of the Most Notable Works.

By the terms of the will of the late Albert A. Munger, which was opened and read at Chicago the other day, the coffers of four worthy charities have been enriched and the Art Institute of Chicago comes into ownership of the finest private art collection in the country.

The Women's and Children's hospital, the Foundlings' home, the Home for Incurables, and the Half-Orphan asylum receive \$50,000 each. The art collection, willed to the Art Institute, is valued at \$300,000.

The will was drawn in 1893. The art collection it disposes of contains some eighty paintings, including besides those at the Art Institute a number of paintings the deceased had at home and a few which hang in his office in the Metropolitan block. The collection contains paintings executed by many of the greatest artists in the world, and Mr. Munger spent years of travel in getting it together. His tape was secured from France to Russia and from Italy to the Scandinavian countries for treasures of art wherewith to increase the size and quality of the collection.

Some of the most notable works in the collection are "The Bathers," by Bouguereau; "Fleeting from the Flames," by Schreyer; "The Vedette," Meissonier; "Cattle at Rest," Bonheur; "Just Before Sunrise," Corot; "The Wrestler's Challenge," Munkacsy, and other rare gems. The other painters represented are Michetti, Jerome, Tryon, Gabriel Mag, Verbeckhoeven, Piot, Gomensky, Bargue, Vely, Jacque, Koskoek, Fabbri, Dettli, Guidin, Van Esch, Jozef, Verschueren, Jozef, Verkruyse, Courbet, Detalle, Eggert, Roybet, Gorg, Croes, Van Schendel, Casanova, Merle, Robert, Signorini, Vibert, Glardet, Froment, Zimmerman, Hargrove, Makarov, Frappa, Delort, Jaquet, Meyer von Bremen, Fied, Achenbach, Marcke, Charlemont, Ziem, Scheviniinger, Stevens, Wahlberg, Clay, Dupre, Makart, McEwen, Corneille, Mall and Isabey.

One picture, "The Vedette," by Molsonier, cost \$80,000. "The Bathers" cost \$25,000, and "The Piece in Danger" cost \$22,000.

DIES VICTIM OF A FANCY.

Woman Who Dredged the Night Found Lifeless in Her Room at St. Louis.

The life of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Henning, 55 years old, of St. Louis, was wrecked and finally brought to an untimely end by her strange dread of the night.

During the morning Mrs. Henning was usually cheerful, but shortly after noon she would remark that it would soon be dark, and as the day wore on she grew nervous, and at times hysterical. As soon as the darkness deepened she had the gas lighted and at night she kept a light burning in her room. It had been suggested that she could pull down the curtains and light the gas, and it would be light within the room, but her reply was that she knew the darkness was outside.

This became more than the woman could bear. She said often she could not stand it much longer, that the night was driving her mad, but little attention was paid to her fancies.

The other morning the woman did not appear at the usual hour and her door was forced open. She was found dead on the floor. There were no marks of violence on her person nor traces of poison about the face, but the physician who was called in said he believed she had either taken poison or had smothered herself on the bed and in her death struggles had fallen to the floor.

GOLD NUGGET IN GOOSE'S SCROP.

Butcher Who Invested in Land on the Strength of This Lost Money.

Eagerness to amass a fortune has brought R. Roberts, a butcher, of Ottawa, Can., to grief. In Gloucester township, a few miles from that city, is a water-course known as Green's creek. A farmer who possessed water-tow found the creek particularly useful. He brought his goods to market and disposed of them to Mr. Roberts.

In the process of dressing a goose a member of Mr. Roberts' family found in the crop what proved to be a nugget of gold. Mr. Roberts at once had dreams that Green's creek must be a Klondike, and the chance of his lifetime to become wealthy had presented itself. He hastily struck a bargain for the purchase of the farm, paying an exorbitant price for it.

The stream was closely searched for evidence of nuggets other than the one the goose had swallowed, but not even mining experts could find more of the yellow metal. The butcher has now abandoned the search a hopeless, a wiser, if not a richer, man.

Tomb Covering Nine Acres.

The most magnificent tomb in the world is deemed to be the palace temple of Karnak, occupying an area of nine acres, or twice that of St. Peter's at Rome. The temple space is a poet's dream of gigantic columns, beautiful courts and wondrous avenues of sphinxes.

Hair Dye and Insurance.

Hair dye is considered so detrimental to long life that a continental insurance company refuses to insure lives of persons using it.

Working Women's Home Association.

21 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

Jan. 11, 1893.

Our Working Woman's Home Association used Foley's Honey and Tur six years ago, and are using it to-day. It has always been a favorite, for awhile its taste is not at all unpleasant; its effects are very beneficial. It has never disappointed us. Wishing you all possible success, sincerely yours, LAURA C. FISHER, M.D., H. W. Bell, N. L. Krouse, W. H. Hubbard.

When a man is resigned to his fate the resignation is usually accepted.

CHANGES UNITED STATES MAP

Secretary of Interior Will Issue New Charts Showing Proper Disposition of Louisiana Cession.

Certain official maps of the government are, by the authority of the government, declared to be incorrect, and as now printed perpetuate a mistake which is being taught in many of the schools of this country. The map in question is declared faulty in that it shows the Louisiana cession to extend beyond the Rocky mountains and to include what are now known as Washington, Oregon and parts of Montana, Idaho and Wyoming. The commissioner of the general land office, Binger Herrman, after an exhaustive examination of authorities, has recommended the new maps make the Louisiana cession end at the Rocky mountains, and his suggestion has been adopted by the secretary of the interior. Mr. Binger.

The commissioner has published an official report upon the subject, containing maps and illustrations. The country beyond the Rockies will on the new maps be shown to have been acquired by discovery in 1792, by exploration in 1803, by the Astoria settlement in 1811, and by the Florida treaty in 1819. Authorities are cited to uphold this view, and the erroneous statements are given upon which popular misconception is based.

The facts of history as given by Jefferson, Marbois, Greenow and others are quoted in opposition to the present idea.

A review of annexations by the United States is included in the report, and the benefits arising from such acquisitions are pointed out.

The report says:

"The grand total of the sums paid for our foreign acquisitions amounts to \$22,200,000, a sum less than the value of one year's output of Montana's minerals of Minnesota's annual wheat yield, or of the cattle and hay product of California for one year."

A new map of Alaska, showing reported gold discoveries and other mineral deposits, land offices, new routes to the interior, etc., is also incorporated.

TOBACCO IN CANADA.

Growing the "Weed" Is Becoming a Great Factor in That Country.

The fact that Canada this year is growing almost enough tobacco to supply its own needs and that Canadian manufacturers, Montrealers among the number, are using the home-grown product in large quantities, will come as a great surprise to many. In the year 1895 there was grown in Canada not more than 4,000,000 pounds of tobacco, over 90 per cent. of which was grown in Quebec province. In the following year the product was about the same. Quebec growing less and Ontario considerably more than formerly, says the New York Post.

One carefull estimate leads to the conclusion that, if no accident over takes the crop, not less than 10,000,000 pounds of the weed will be grown in these two provinces, about four-fifths of which will come from the two most southerly counties of Ontario, Essex and Kent. In Essex county alone fully 6,000 acres are this year under tobacco cultivation. This impetus in the growth of tobacco has been caused by the readjustment of the duties now standing: Canadian, 5 cents; American, 33 cents. The total manufacure of tobacco in Canada, exclusive of cigars and cigarettes, consumes about 14,000,000 pounds of raw leaf, and to supply this demand about 12,000,000 pounds of American tobacco has been imported annually. If the estimate of 10,000,000 pounds for this year's Canadian crop proves correct it will be seen that there will not be much required from across the line.

BABY WEIGHS BUT ONE POUND.

Annette Passocel Is the Smallest Infant Ever Born in New York City.

When the Passocels received an expected addition to family at the home, 315 East Seventy-fourth street, New York city, recently a "doll" baby came to them. Little Annette is the smallest child ever born in Gotham. When eight days old, though born of parents who together weigh nearly 400 pounds, Annette tipped the scales at just one pound, one and one-half ounces.

The neighbors daily flock to see the little one. Notwithstanding her diminutive size she is perfectly formed, and with proper care and nourishment there is no doubt she will flourish and grow up to be a good-sized woman. This at least is the opinion of the doctors of the Northeastern dispensary, in East Forty-ninth street, who were called in to attend the mother since the birth of the "tiny doll" for that is what her little brothers call Annette.

The couple have three other children, of whom the smallest, a girl, weighed 14 pounds at her birth, and the heaviest, a son, 16 at his birth. The father is six feet two inches in height and his normal weight is 190 pounds. The mother is above the average height and boasts as much exordiuipos as his band. As fat back as they ever remember their ancestors have been.

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Dear Dr. C. Remedy is doing work wherever introduced as nearly miraculous, it never fails to the lot of any human agency to do (I will esteem it a favor if any one interested to write the persons whose names appear below or any one who writes what may appear among these testimonial).

My aim is to convince the public of my sincerity and of the true merits of this remedy

BENEFICATORS OF THE RACE,

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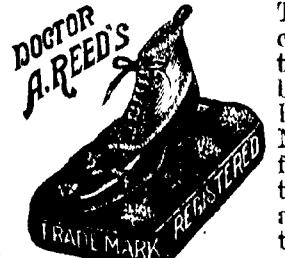
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Lincoln Square....

LOCAL NEWS.

*Davis' 15c delivery. Cab, 25c.
Smoke the Little Joker—5 cent cigar
Pictures and Frames at Melchers' Art Store south of the Postoffice.*

*Smoke the Little J. 5-cent cigar,
made by Jacob Keck.*

Battle Creek and other health food at Cool's, 217 North Main street.—22-dw

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. June 22-dw

A fashionable shoemaker says that women can endure pain better than men.

Sead head is an eczema of the scalp—very severe sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

The Congregational church ladies will serve dinner and supper every day during the carnival in the old tea store on East Main street.—25-dw

The special show now in the city is the display of Chickering and Packard pianos at the C. B. Prescott music house. See it.

Why sent you money out of town, when we take your subscriptions at publishers' prices.

L Cudor's News House.

Harry T. Loper, the restaurant man, passed through this city Wednesday on his way from Springfield to New York. He has a contract to feed the Third regiment on their way from the eastern metropolis to Springfield.

"A dose in time saves lives" Dr. Woods' Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort. Sold by all druggists.

IN THE HOSPITAL.

Conductor Charles Conklin Injured His Eye.

Conductor Charles Conklin of the Wabash is now at the Springfield hospital and is suffering with an injured eye. Last week he got a piece of live coon in his eye. He at once went to a physician and supposed that he had been successfully treated, but later his eye proved to be quite badly injured. He went to the Springfield hospital, where he could receive proper treatment and now expects to again be able to be out within a week.

FREE! FREE!

After going to an enormous expense on account of the Corn Carnival the Cerodanis Rheumatic Co. are prepared to present free to each lady and gent the latest thing out, Thursday and Friday, at their office, 21 Syndicate Block. Hours from 3 to 4 o'clock each day. Must be over 18 years old. Don't fail to come. Compliments of the Cerodanis Co.

WANTED.

Man in each town to open small office and handle my goods. Permanent position and good pay.

A. T. MORRIS,

Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Heflin Dead.

E. W. McCarty of this city received word Wednesday night of the death of his only sister, Mrs. Heflin, near St. Louis. She leaves a husband and five children, a father, mother and five brothers.

Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney diseases pronounced incurable have been cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Many physicians use it. H. W. Bell, N. L. Kron, W. H. Hubbard.

House for Rent.

Good 6 room house for rent 314 N. College street, near corner of William. Enquire of F. W. Haines, 462 West William street.—24-dw

WANTED.

Team and shoveler on South Franklin street. F. J. McDonald.

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on J. E. King and C. L. Shilling, druggists, and get a trial bottle for 10c. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES.

The members of the local tent of Knights of Macabees held a meeting last night and initiated four new members. The membership of the organization is rapidly increasing and it is in excellent condition. R. C. Hines was elected press reporter.

WHAT DO THE CHILDREN DRINK?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAHOL? It is delicious and nutritious and takes the place of coffee. The more Grah O you give the children the more healthy you tribute them. It is the best drink for the child. It is made from the choice grades of coffee but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it. 25c and 25c.

WEDDINGS.

McCUNE-NALLY.

The marriage of Bridget Nally and Frank McCune was celebrated with solemn high mass at the St. Patrick's Catholic church Wednesday, with Rev. Father Murphy as the officiating priest. The ceremony occurred at 9 o'clock. The couple were attended by Miss Anna Graham and John Maloy.

The bride was a traveling suit of dark blue with a hat to match. Following the ceremony the couple were driven to the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John Moriarity of East Eldorado street and a wedding breakfast served. There were a large number of guests at both the church and house.

Miss Nally has made her home with Mrs. Bert J. Hardy for the past 10 years and has a large circle of friends in the city. Mr. McCune is a foreman in the coal mines at Springfield and is a most estimable young man.

The couple left for Springfield and will be at home to their friends after November 1.

WEIBURG-WEINORS

Miss Fullie Weinors and Otto F. Weiburg, both of Peoria, were married by Rev. Rodenberg, pastor of the German Lutheran church, on Tuesday, at the German Lutheran parsonage.

J. B. WILLIAMS

ARRIVED HOME FROM ALASKA ON WEDNESDAY—CONKLIN PARTY WELL.

J. B. Williams, the first of the Conklin party who went from Decatur to Alaska last spring, to become discouraged and disgusted with the prospects of finding the gold mine they set out for, returned to Decatur on Wednesday. Mr. Williams tells an interesting story of his return trip and the hardships of travel in Alaska. Regarding the remainder of the Conklin party he says:

"The boys are camped at the head of Mountauk lake, which is near the divide, a ridge of hills. It is as good and well equipped a camp as you will find in the gold country. The prospects are not good for finding gold in the Copper River district, but the boys will stay in their present quarters till spring and then move on. They have plenty of good provisions and are comfortably fixed for the winter."

"About 4000 people went into Copper river regions this year, but only about 300 will winter there. We were the last party to come over the glacier and no more will go that route, as the snow is soft and deep and deceptive. The mail carrier lost all his mail in going out over the glacier about the time we went over."

"Of course lots of people get killed in the Alaska country, but not so many as are reported. Fifteen were killed to my knowledge. Three were drowned in the Copper river, five in the Kukukia, three were suicides, one was shot accidentally, one died of scurvy and two went crazy and died."

"I guess there is plenty of gold in other regions, but we found none at all worth working. If the boys see any good prospects I will go back in the spring, but am perfectly contented to winter in Decatur with my family. Lots of people go up there and are disappointed, while some of them strike it."

ANTICEPTIC PREPARATION

MADE BY THE LATE G. W. THOMPSON FOR THE TOILET.

"PURE AND FRAGRANT."

Mrs. G. W. Thompson has recently placed two toilet preparations, known as "Pure and Fragrant" and "Witch Hazel Cream" upon the market, which were formerly prepared by her husband, who was a practicing pharmacist for 22 years and also a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. These goods are superior in quality and are too well known to need any recommendation as they are now being used by thousands of people and by many hundreds of Decatur ladies.

They are purely anticeptic and are the outcome of 10 years of study and experiments by the late Mr. Thompson who perfected the remedy in February of last year. Only the highest grade of ingredients being used in their manufacture, makes them in great demand, consequently she is placing them on the market in sufficient quantity to supply the demand. They are protected by a registered trade mark bearing Mr. Thompson's signature and a photo of his little daughter. They are put up in 25-cent and 50-cent sizes and no ladies' toilet is complete without one or both of them. Be sure that you call for these preparations and take no other in their place. Try them and you will use no other, as they are just as represented. You will find them for sale by the Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods and Carpet Co., at the regular prices, 25 and 50 cents.

SARO RELEASED.
F. M. Saro, the supposed Spanish spy, who was in jail at Peoria, has been released. Saro will be remembered as the man who visited this city and pretended to be a Cuban patriot. He gave several lectures and told stories about himself which sounded like fairy tales. It is thought that he was nothing more than a fraud who was trying to get money from people on the strength of being a Cuban.

SALOON ROBBED

SEVEN DOLLARS IN MONEY
AND WHISKEY STOLEN

FROM JOHN RYAN'S PLACE

*ATTEMPT TO ROB A LEVEE SALOON—
POLICE ARE NOT HAVING MUCH
TROUBLE WITH THE CROWD.*

John Ryan's saloon on North Jasper street was robbed about 2 o'clock this morning. The burglars entered at the back part of the place and stole about \$7 in money and several bottles of whisky. Another attempt was made at McKillop Brothers' saloon at 764 East Eldorado street. The glass in the back door had been removed and the bar across the door was taken down but the burglars did not succeed in breaking the door open.

The police have not had very much trouble so far. Four men who are suspected of being crooks are being held in custody. Yesterday seven drunks and disorderly were arrested. There were some men drunk on the street but after a few arrests had been made it cooled them down and there was no further trouble. Both the night and day police force are working long hours and with the special police on duty the officers do not anticipate any difficulty in handling the crowd.

MRS. GILLETTE'S INTEREST
She Offers a Few Verses for the Corn Carnival Jubilee.

Mrs. M. P. Murphy, president of the Woman's Corn Carnival band yesterday received the following note from Mrs. John D. Gillette of Elkhart, Ill., mother of Mrs. Will Barnes of this city, and of the wife of ex-Governor Richard Oglesby.

Mrs. Murphy, Dear Madam:—Reading of your corn festival and thinking that you might like a few verses on the subject. I send the enclosed cut from the New York Independent 10 years ago. As it suits our Illinois, hence appropriate it. Set to music and well sung it might add to your jubilee. I am very truly yours, Mrs. John D. Gillette, Elkhart, Ill.

The sentiment displayed in the verses is beautiful and very appropriate to the occasion. They follow:

THE FIELD LADY.
*She is an Indian princess,
All to the manor born;
All ye that love a lady
Come how ye down to corn.
O thank ye when ye see her,
For she it who spreads
Her tunic in the wilderness,
Whence half the world is fed.*

*She is an Indian princess,
Whence hath she such grace?
Are these the native manners
That grew in royal place?
She shames us with her courtesy,
So gracious and profound;
Her stately bows, her nodding plumes
Her robes that trail the ground.*

*To her the subtle secrets
Of all the birds are borne;
Such whisperings, such talkings
Run through a field of corn;
O listen, as you pass her;
Be quick to sigh or laugh,
For you might sing your life long
If she would tell you half.*

*She is an Indian princess,
The West Wind is her brave,
The Sun's her loving monarch,
The South Wind is her slave.
He creeps along the grasses
To rustle at her feet.
She drops her dainty tassels;
Her play she is so sweet.*

*Of all the flowers have brought her
She make a golden sheaf,
With precious silk unfolding
And many a shining leaf,
And holds it up proclaiming,
I have a gift of peace!
Now pledge her as you like it,
"A thousand years increase!"*

—Clement Spencer.

FOOT BALL GAME.

THE HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE HILL BOYS

Met at 3:30 O'clock.

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon the members of the High school and College Hill foot ball teams met at the race track to play a game. Both teams have played this season with clubs from other cities, but this is the first time they have played each other. The teams are quite evenly matched and they expected to give a good game. The line up of the two clubs was given in yesterday's paper.

LECTURE ON CORN FLOUR.
Next Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the University of Illinois, H. L. Baldwin of the Decatur Corn Milling company, will deliver a lecture on corn flour. He will tell of its manufacture, use and value as a food product. The lecture is not only for the students of the college, but the public has also been invited to attend.

KNIGHTS OF MACCABEES.
The members of the local tent of Knights of Macabees held a meeting last night and initiated four new members. The membership of the organization is rapidly increasing and it is in excellent condition. R. C. Hines was elected press reporter.

REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.
Among the Republican meetings which will be held in the next two weeks are the following:

At Ocean Wave School, October 31. Speakers—Attorney Alexander McIntosh and John Moffett.

At Dalton City, November 5. Speakers—Attorney J. M. Clokey and Attorney James O'Mara.

REMOVAL.

I have removed my blacksmith shop from West Prairie street to No. 109 West Main. T. L. Weakley.—19. diw

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